

Utilization of Godowns

3543. PROF. JITENDRA NATH DAS : Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state :

(a) whether despite acute shortage of storage space in the Food Corporation of India Godowns, the Government fail to fully utilise the Central Warehousing Corporation and State Warehousing Corporation godowns;

(b) if so, the unutilised capacity of the CWC & SWC godowns; and

(c) the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND MINISTER OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI DEVENDRA PRASAD YADAV) : (a) to (c). No, Sir. The Food Corporation of India has at present a storage capacity of 235.46 lakh tonnes with 51% utilisation only. Therefore, at macro level storage capacity with Food Corporation of India at Present is adequate.

Sugarcane Procurement

3544. DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIA : Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state :

(a) the State-wise procurement price being paid by the States to the farmers for sugarcane crop in the country during the current sugar season (1996-97) and the support price fixed by the Union Government;

(b) the State-wise quantum of sugar produced during the last sugar season (1995-96) and the demand and supply thereof alongwith the stock/buffer stock of sugar in the country; and

(c) the State-wise details of the procurement quantity and price thereof during each of the last three sugar seasons?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND MINISTER OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI DEVENDRA PRASAD YADAV) : (a) State Advised Price for sugarcane for the current sugar season 1996-97 are not available. for the sugar season 1996-97, and advance announcement of statutory Minimum Price has been made on 11.3.1996 at Rs. 45.90 per quintal linked to a basic recovery of 8.5%.

(b) A Statement-I showing State-wise production of sugar during the seasons 1995-96 is Annexed. Under the present policy of partial control, the monthly allocation of levy sugar to most of the States/UTs is being made on a uniform norm of ensuring 425 gms. per capita availability as per population figures of 1991 census sugar at higher rates is being allowed to some States/UTs due to special circumstances prevailing there. Stocks of indigenous sugar with the factories as on 30.9.1996 were about 81 lakh tonnes. a buffer stock of

5 lakh tonnes of sugar created for one year from 10.1.1996, has been extended by another year and an additional buffer stock of 5 lakh tonnes of sugar has been created for one year.

(c) A statement-II showing State-wise details of quantities of cane purchased during the seasons 1993-94, 1994-95 and 1995-96 is Annexed. A statement-III showing the Statutory Minimum Price (SMP) of sugarcane fixed by the Central Government and the prices actually paid is also Annexed.

STATEMENT-I

Statement showing State-wise production of Sugar during the seasons 1995-96

S.No.	States	Production
1.	Punjab	6.32
2.	Haryana	4.54
3.	Rajasthan	0.31
4.	U.P.	43.60
5.	Madhya Pradesh	1.29
6.	Gujarat	11.26
7.	Maharashtra	53.76
8.	Bihar	3.79
9.	Assam	0.07
10.	Orissa	0.82
11.	West Bengal	0.08
12.	Nagaland	0.01
13.	Andhra Pradesh	8.66
14.	Karnataka	12.67
15.	Tamil Nadu	16.22
16.	Pondicherry	0.57
17.	Kerala	0.13
18.	Goa	0.19
All India		164.29

STATEMENT-II

Statement Showing State-wise quantities of Sugarcane Purchased by Sugar Mills during the three seasons 1993-94, 1994-95 and 1995-96

Quantity of cane purchased
(In lakh quantals)

S. No.	Name of State	Season		
		1993-94	1994-95	1995-96
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Punjab	348.84	330.09	641.88
2.	Haryana	302.19	352.42	510.14

1	2	3	4	5
3. Rajasthan		16.68	19.13	33.54
4. West U.P.		994.55	1195.49	1638.73
5. Central U.P.		1126.84	1526.85	2026.81
6. East U.P.		659.05	974.83	939.94
7. Madhya Pradesh		38.67	53.94	99.55
8. South Gujarat		983.21	570.23	936.48
9. Saurashtra		53.94	40.22	98.26
10. South Maharashtra		995.61	1313.73	2603.19
11. North Maharashtra		388.34	984.28	804.24
12. Central Maharashtra		955.82	1751.58	1836.61
13. North Bihar		282.04	391.46	402.77
14. South Bihar		0.01	-	-

1	2	3	4	5
15. Assam		6.19	8.29	8.08
16. Andhra Pradesh		631.85	883.05	780.55
17. Karnataka		754.23	1085.59	1087.31
18. Tamil Nadu		1163.64	2117.52	1663.72
19. Kerala		4.71	5.54	2.34
20. Orissa		26.31	50.45	75.57
21. West Bengal		6.36	9.63	12.24
22. Nagaland		1.79	-	-
23. Pondicherry		40.77	70.95	65.01
24. Goa		8.46	16.62	19.03
All India		9490.10	13751.89	16285.99

STATEMENT-III

Statement Showing Range of Minimum Sugarcane Seed and the price paid by the Factories in the different States of the country
(figures in Rs./Quintal)

State	1990-91(Prov.)		1991-92(Prov.)		1992-93(Prov.)		1993-94(Prov.)		1994-95(Prov.)		1995-96(Prov.)	
	Min.	Price	Min.	Price	Min.	Price	Min.	Price	Min.	Price	Min.	Price
	Noti-	Paid	Noti-	Paid	Noti-	Paid	Noti-	Paid	Noti-	Paid	Noti-	Paid
	fied		fied		fied		fied		fied		fied	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Uttar Pradesh	23.00 to 34.62	41.00 to 44.00	26.00 to 32.12	45.00 to 48.00	31.00 to 38.66	46.00 to 49.00	34.50 to 43.84	58.00 to 61.00	39.10 to 48.40	66.00 to 70.00	42.50 to 53.30	70.00 to 74.00
Bihar	23.00 to 27.06	41.50 to 44.50	26.00 to 32.12	41.50 to 44.50	31.00 to 37.20	45.00 to 49.00	34.50 to 41.81	53.50 to 56.50	39.10 to 47.20	66.00 to 70.00	42.50 to 52.76	71.00 to 75.00
Punjab	23.00 to 27.00	42.00 to 46.00	26.00 to 29.98	45.00 to 49.00	31.00 to 36.11	46.00 to 50.00	34.50 to 40.99	58.00 to 62.00	39.10 to 47.80	68.00 to 72.00	42.50 to 50.60	73.00 to 77.00
Haryana	24.89 to 28.68	41.00 to 46.00	26.00 to 31.20	45.00 to 54.00	31.00 to 38.66	46.00 to 50.00	34.91 to 43.02	56.00 to 60.00	39.10 to 47.20	66.00 to 70.00	42.50 to 48.98	70.00 to 75.00
Assam	23.00	29.50 to 32.75	26.00 to 26.31	35.23 to 38.00	31.00 to 31.36	38.25 to 45.00	34.50 to 35.31	40.00 to 45.00	39.10 to	46.00 to 53.00	42.50	NA
West Bengal	23.00	45.00	26.00 to 48.72	41.00	31.00 to 45.00	34.90	34.50 to 50.00	34.50	39.10	58.00	42.50	67.00
Orissa	23.00 to 26.25	30.00 to 40.00	27.22 to 28.75	45.00	32.82 to 35.38	33.55 to 45.00	34.91 to 40.18	49.88 to 50.00	39.10 to 44.16	44.16 to 60.00	42.50 to 47.90	NA
Madhya Pradesh	23.00 to 27.87	40.00 to 42.00	28.75 to 32.73	41.00 to 43.00	34.28 to 39.02	40.00 to 56.89	39.37 to 43.43	53.00 to 60.00	39.10 to 47.20	66.00 to 72.00	44.12 to 54.22	NA
Rajasthan	25.71 to 25.90	40.00 to 42.00	26.00 to 27.84	42.50 to 46.86	31.73 to 35.01	40.50 to 50.00	37.34 to 40.59	50.00 to 54.00	39.10 to 41.40	57.00 to 66.00	44.12 to 48.44	64.00 to 67.00
Maharashtra	23.00 to 34.36	26.00# to 53.00	26.00 to 38.54	29.00 to 52.50	33.92 to 47.41	31.00# to 49.65	34.50 to 53.17	36.00 to 61.00	35.00 to 66.40	46.00 to 66.00	42.50 to 68.96	45.00 to 46.00

1	2	3	4	5	6
Gujarat	23.00	22.00#	26.00	27.00	31.00
	to	to	to	to	to
	33.01	33.00	37.93	60.00	45.22
Andhra Pradesh	23.00	27.50	26.00	31.51	31.00
	to	to	to	to	to
	30.85	36.53	33.95	40.59	41.21
Tamil Nadu	23.00	30.10	26.31	29.06	32.46
	to	to	to	to	to
	28.95	36.25	31.51	35.00	39.02
Karnataka	24.08	36.00	26.00	30.89	31.00
	to	to	to	to	to
	30.85	39.00	37.32	45.00	46.32
Kerala	23.00	33.50	26.00	36.00	31.00
	to	to	to		to
	25.44	34.00	27.53		31.73
Pondicherry	24.89	26.79	26.96	29.06	34.65
	to	to	to	to	to
	26.79	31.60	29.06	31.50	35.38
Nagaland	23.00	N.R.	26.00	N.R.	31.00
Goa	23.81	40.50	26.00	45.00\$	38.29

- Price paid ex-field

N.R. - Not reported

7	8	9	10	11	12	13
38.00#	34.50	31.00	39.10	50.00	42.50	43.50
to	to	to	to	to	to	
71.90	49.92	50.00	59.80	73.00	65.92	
36.47	34.91	39.37	39.10	46.00	42.50	48.66
to	to	to	to	to	to	to
58.32	46.27	56.33	53.80	62.15	58.16	60.00
35.26	34.50	36.35	39.56	42.78	44.66	44.50
to	to	to	to	to	to	to
45.71	42.21	55.11	47.20	63.37	54.38	65.88
35.01	34.50	45.00	39.10	60.00	42.50	58.00
to	to	to	to	to	to	to
61.00	52.76	65.00	63.40	70.00	67.34	72.00
38.00	34.50	N.A.	39.10	50.00	42.50	N.A.
to	to				to	
42.50	36.12				45.74	
34.65	39.37	39.37	40.02	40.02	44.66	44.50
to	to	to	to	to	to	
41.40	54.53	54.53	45.08	60.53	48.44	
38.00	34.50	46.00	39.10	50.60	47.50	NA
42.00	39.37	40.00	41.40	75.00	48.44	15.00
			to			
			50.00			